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PYRROLOBENZODIAZEPINE MOIETIES"

**RESPONSE AND SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed March 26, 2008, the advisory action mailed July 15, 2008 and supplemental to the response filed June 26, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections in light of the amendments and arguments presented herein. Applicants respectfully submit that entry of this amendment is proper under § 1.116 because it places the claims in condition for allowance.

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 19 of this paper.